

CINCINNATI PEOPLE EXCITED

The Great Cooper as he is called Has Stirred up That City to a Remarkable Degree.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 17.—This city is at present in the midst of an excitement beyond anything that it experienced in recent years.

Old and young, rich and poor, all seem to have come beside themselves over no individual who was a stranger to Cincinnati up to two weeks ago.

The man who has created all this turmoil is L. T. Cooper, President of the Cooper Medicine Co., of Dayton, Ohio, who is at present introducing his preparations in this city for the first time.

Cooper is a man about thirty years of age and has acquired a fortune within the past two years by the sale of some preparations of which he is the owner.

Reports from eastern cities that preceded the young man here were of the most startling nature. Many of the leading dailies going so far as to state that he had rightly cured in public places deafness of years' standing with one of his preparations. The physicians of the East contradicted this statement, claiming the thing to be impossible, but the facts seem to bear out this statement that Cooper actually did so.

In consequence people flocked to him by thousands and his preparations sold like wildfire.

Many of the stories were regarded as fictitious in Cincinnati and until Cooper actually reached this city little attention was paid to them. Hardly had the young man arrived, however,

COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE.

LIBERTYVILLE DOINGS.

Violet and Frank Simpson are on sick list this week.

An epidemic of chicken pox is among the people here.

Wm. Bleiring, Jr., of North Dakota, is here visiting homefolks this week.

Miss Barbara Belker has returned from an extended visit to relatives in Bellingham and Cape Girardeau counties.

Henry McKenzie thinks he will marry when school is out, if he can find which girl likes him the best.

It is announced that Elder W. H. Kern of St. Louis will preach at the Christian church Sunday. Everybody invited to attend.

Mr. E. O. Presnell was called by phone to Fredericktown Saturday to see his uncle, Dr. S. Presnell, who is seriously ill and not expected to recover.

Mrs. G. N. Baker and Mrs. Cyrus Holmes attended a quilting and birthday dinner, given by Mrs. Charles Moore, last Friday, about seven miles south of here.

Will some of the old inhabitants tell us if they ever witnessed this kind of weather in this country before? The wind changes its course every twenty-four hours, and it rains from all directions. Too warm for the people to kill hogs, and some who have killed find their meat spoiling. Only one perfectly clear day in the month of December, and not one perfectly clear day in this month up to the 16th. The ground has not been frozen an inch deep this winter, and the pastures look green like spring. The farmers' barns are filled up with manure and the ground so soft that it is impossible to haul it on the fields. All the roads in these parts would make a snake if one should light on them. We would suggest that they move the weather bureau from Washington down here in Southeast Missouri for awhile. If they would, we feel sure they would soon quit forecasting fair weather.

FELIX.

LOUGHBOROUGH ITEMS.

James Hurley and family have moved to near Davis Crossing.

Mr. Louis G. Yeates of Elvins visited relatives here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman West were Farmington visitors last Monday.

Mr. Will Yeates of Leadwood is spending a few days with homefolks.

Mrs. Lucinda Wallen of Elvins visited relatives here a few days the past week.

Mrs. Charles Cox, who has been very sick, is some better at this writing.

Messrs Ed and Norman Jackson of Elvins spent last Sunday here with their parents.

Miss Zephers Heaston has returned to her home here after spending several days with relatives near Knob Lick.

BISMARCK BREVIETIES.

Leon Boston went to St. Louis Monday.

Rev. LaTour preached at Ironton Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Butler is visiting friends in St. Louis.

Frank Wray and family moved to Des Arc last week.

John L. Stephens has been on the sick list the last week.

Miss Ellie Brown returned home from Louisiana Monday.

Mrs. Blick of Iron Mountain was spending here Monday.

Van Ephes, the house man of St. Louis, was here Saturday.

Rev. W. W. Strathers of Des Arc visited friends here Friday.

Mr. Latona of Flat River spent Sunday with his family here.

Engineer W. A. Paul is laying off on account of a broken finger.

We learn that M. W. Baker and family will move to Elvins soon.

Mrs. Mason of Irondale is visiting her sister here, Mrs. N. A. Cottrell.

Wm. Traenricht of Middlebrook visited Geo. W. Clarkson here Sunday.

J. H. Coxey was confined to his bed the past week with chicken pox.

Mr. Fisher, living three miles south of town, is reported dangerously sick.

Attorney Chitwood of Fredericktown was transacting business here Monday.

Mr. J. C. Collins and wife of Sparta, Ill., visited the family of Conductor Kinsman Sunday.

A revival meeting is being conducted at the Union Church by a Christian minister this week.

Miss Lena Ramsey left last week to resume her studies at Forest Park University in St. Louis.

Mrs. J. D. Wood and mother attended the funeral of Mrs. S. M. Donnell at Irondale last week.

Geo. W. Clarkson of Buffalo, N. Y., accompanied by his family, has been here the past week. They left for Buffalo Tuesday.

Rumor says we are to have a hub factory here. Ironton and Middlebrook capitalists are back of the enterprise.

Brakeman Ed Meyer was brought here Saturday from Jordan, where he was severely injured in a head-end collision.

Two members of the family of C. H. Leggett are suffering from scurvy. Every precaution is being taken to prevent the spread of the disease.

A corps of railway surveyors left here Tuesday morning for Dillard, Mo. We surmise Bismarck will have another railroad soon, the extension of the St. Louis & Eastern.

The condition of our roads and highways is impassible and almost intolerable.

able. Little or no grading is ever done. The roads present a trough appearance, water collects therein and remains. Two strong horses are necessary to pull a light buggy. Our streets and crossings are in a fearful condition. An awakening along this line is imperative. Get wide awake, business men shun of the public interests. The people are trying to those in authority to wake up! wake up!

RURAL ROUTE NO. 3.

Too much rain for our farmers to do any work whatever; besides, the continuous rain and mud are bad on live stock.

Our friend Frank Boyd of near Avon tells us that his wife has been very unfortunate. She fell down and bruised one of her legs. He took her to a St. Louis hospital for treatment and the leg had to be amputated about three inches above the knee. Mr. Boyd reports that she is getting along as well as could be expected.

C. C. Simons of Valley's Forge has sold his farm to Mr. John Yeagam. Mr. Simons is going to Southern California for the benefit of his wife's health. Mr. and Mrs. Simons' many friends and neighbors will be sorry to give them up as neighbors.

Photographer Bequette was out last Monday to take a photograph of Miss Ella Smith's school. Miss Smith has taught a very successful school and has given general satisfaction.

The Church at Chestnut Ridge will meet next Saturday for the purpose of electing a pastor for the coming year. All the members are requested to be present.

Now that the holidays are over let us all perpetuate the spirit of good will and good cheer throughout the year 1907, and continue to help the poor and needy and lift up the fallen.

R. R. No. 3.

MIX THIS AT HOME.

The following simple home-made mixture is said to readily relieve and overcome any form of Rheumatism by forcing the Kidneys to filter from the blood and system all the uric acid and poisonous waste matter, relieving at once such symptoms as backache, weak kidneys and bladder and blood diseases.

Try it, as it doesn't cost much to make, and is said to be absolutely harmless to the stomach.

Get the following harmless ingredients from any good pharmacy: Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Mix by shaking well in a bottle and take a teaspoonful after each meal and again at bedtime.

This simple mixture is said to give prompt relief, and there are very few cases of Rheumatism and Kidney trouble it will fail to cure permanently.

These are all harmless, everyday drugs, and your druggist should keep them in the prescription department; if not, have him order them from the wholesale drug houses for you, rather than fail to use this, if you are afflicted.

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Notice of Stockholders Meeting

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the Koeth Manufacturing Company will be held at the office of the company, in the Farmers' Bank Building, in the city of Farmington, Missouri, on Saturday, March 2d, 1907, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of voting upon a proposition to increase the capital stock of said company from fifteen thousand (\$15,000.00) dollars, its present capitalization, to sixty thousand (\$60,000.00) dollars, and for a re-organization of the company, and for the transaction of such other business as may lawfully come before said meeting.

MADISON R. SMITH, President.

R. F. MITCHELL, Secretary.

December 28, 1906.

CHURCHES.

PRESBYTERIAN—Rev. C. E. HICKOK, Pastor—Preaching Sunday morning and evening, Sunday School at 9:30 a. m., WM. M. DIXLAR, Superintendent. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL—Rev. O. C. Fontaine, Pastor—Preaching every Sunday morning and evening, Sunday School at 9:30 a. m., W. A. CLOUD, Superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening.

MEETINGHOUSE—Rev. L. M. Thompson, Pastor—Preaching every Sunday morning and evening, Sunday School at 9:30 a. m., H. B. BENMAN, Superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Rev. J. S. CLAY, Pastor—Preaching every Sunday morning and evening, Sunday School every Sunday at 10:30 a. m., J. S. CLAY, Superintendent.

CATHOLIC—Rev. BERNARD R. A. SCHLESINGER, Resident priest—Mass every Sunday except first at 10 o'clock, catechism same day at 2:30 p. m.

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